Ordinance No. 10-16

RE: Text Amendment Case No. 15-07
Amendments to the Prince Frederick Zoning Ordinance
Roof Pitch and Building Materials.

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# Pertaining to the Amendments of the Prince Frederick Zoning Ordinance Sections IV.B & IV.J, Required Roof Pitch and Building Materials.

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WHEREAS, Title 4 of the *Land Use Article* of the <u>Maryland Annotated Code</u>, as amended, empowers the Board of County Commissioners to enact a Zoning Ordinance to promote the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Calvert County, and to provide for its administration, enforcement and amendment;

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Calvert County, Maryland has heretofore adopted the Prince Frederick Zoning Ordinance by Resolution 8-92;

WHEREAS, after study and evaluation, the Calvert County Department of Community Planning & Building recommended to the Planning Commission and the Board of County Commissioners text amendments to the Prince Frederick Zoning Ordinance Sections IV.B and IV.J;

WHEREAS, after due notice was published, the Board of County Commissioners and the Planning Commission of Calvert County, Maryland (hereinafter, the "Planning Commission") conducted a joint public hearing on April 5, 2016, at which time the proposed amendments were discussed, staff's recommendations were considered, and public comment was solicited;

WHEREAS, at the conclusion of said public hearing the Planning Commission voted to recommend adoption of the amendments and conveyed its recommendation to the Board of County Commissioners by resolution; and

WHEREAS, after considering the evidence which had been presented at the public hearing regarding the proposed text amendments and the recommendation of the Planning Commission, and in furtherance of the public health, safety and welfare, the Board of County Commissioners determined it is in the best interest of the citizens of the County to enact the text amendments to the Prince Frederick Zoning Ordinance, as set forth in Exhibit A, attached hereto and made a part hereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of County Commissioners of Calvert County, Maryland, that the Prince Frederick Zoning Ordinance Sections IV.B and IV.J BE, and hereby ARE, amended by adopting the text amendments as shown in attached Exhibit A hereto and made a part hereof (Exhibit B depicts the amendments as they will actually appear in the Zoning Ordinance).

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** by the Board of County Commissioners of Calvert County, Maryland that, in the event any portion of this Ordinance, the Calvert County Zoning Ordinance, or the Prince Frederick Zoning Ordinance are found to be unconstitutional, illegal, null or void, it is the intent of the Board of County Commissioners to sever only the invalid portion or provision, and that the remainder of the Ordinances shall be enforceable and valid.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** by the Board of County Commissioners of Calvert County, Maryland that the foregoing recitals are adopted as if fully rewritten herein.

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**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** by the Board of County Commissioners of Calvert County, Maryland that this amendatory Ordinance shall be effective upon recordation without publication of a fair summary.

DONE, this 5th day of April 2016 by the Board of County Commissioners of Calvert County, Maryland.

Absent/Abstain: ATTEST:	BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CALVERT COUNTY, MARYLAND
Maureen L. Frederick, Clerk	Evan K. Slaughenhoupt Jr., President
Approved for form and legal sufficiency by:	Tom Hejl, Vice-President  Mike Hart
John B Norris, III, County Attorney	Pat Nutter
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## Prince Frederick Zoning Ordinance

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